



# Internship & Research Opportunities in the Aegean Islands



Students, recent graduates and scientists can join Archipelagos Institute and take part in its multidisciplinary research opportunities in the Aegean Sea islands.

[Archipelagos Institute of Marine Conservation](#) is a Greek non-profit, non-governmental organization committed to researching and defending the rare biodiversity of the Greek seas and islands, as well as of the NE Mediterranean region overall.

In parallel with our research and conservation work, Archipelagos also hosts year-round students and young scholars from a wide range of disciplines in [our research bases in the Aegean islands](#), who join us to support our efforts to protect the environment. Since 2001, our educational activities have hosted over 1,500 participants from around the world.



## Fields of Research:

### MARINE ECOSYSTEMS

- [Marine Research & Conservation](#)
- [Fisheries Research & Management](#)
- [Marine Mammal Research](#)

## TERRESTRIAL ECOSYSTEMS

- Forest & Freshwater Ecosystem Management
- Research & Conservation of Island Flora & Fauna
- Agronomic Research & Seed Bank Projects



## ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

- Laboratory Assessment of Environmental Impacts
- GIS Mapping of Marine & Terrestrial Habitats & Biodiversity
- Applications of Renewable Energy Sources

## ART, MEDIA AND DESIGN

- \* [Illustration of Flora & Fauna](#)
- \* [Graphic Design for Awareness Material](#)
- \* [Animation Design](#)
- \* [Environmental Photography](#)
- \* [Documentary Film Production](#)



## OTHER TOPICS

- \* [Environmental Education](#)
- \* [Information Technology](#)
- \* [Legal Work](#)
- \* [Public Relations](#)
- \* [Administrative Work](#)



**Placement details:**

Duration: 3-12 months is (shorter duration is consider on a case-by-case basis)

**Location:** Archipelagos' research bases and stations in the eastern Aegean Sea (Samos, Lipsi, Ikaria, Arki, Marathi islands). Placements may also include working on board one of the two small research boats.

**Costs:** Placement fee of 650euros/month

Covers: accommodation, full board and all placement costs.

*(frequently placement fee and travel etc expenses are covered by grants such as Erasmus+, or other equivalent)*



**Extras:** Participants have the option to obtain (at no further cost):

- a) Sailing certificate
- b) PADI Open Water scuba diving certification – seasonally available, excluding PADI fees
- c) Greek language lessons

***Please pass this along to faculty members and students who may be interested in this opportunity.***

For further information you can contact

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We hope to see you in the Aegean islands!